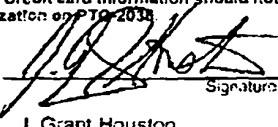


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Application Number 09/954,861		Filed 9/18/01
For Process for Integrating Defense Optical Coatings into Metal Electro-mechanical Devices		
Art Unit 2818	Examiner Hoang, Quoc Dinh	
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